<u>2005 – 2007 REQUEST FOR SPECIAL LANGUAGE IN APPROPRIATION ACT</u>

AGENCY: 0710 DHS – County Operations **ACT#:** 28-1SS **SECTION#:** 10

CURRENT SPECIAL LANGUAGE (WITH AGENCY REQUEST)

COUNTY OPERATIONS - RECORD RETENTION. It is determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that immediate needs of TEA recipients must be met to enable that recipient to obtain and maintain work. In many instances these needs are not immediately met because of the original documentation requirements of the Accounting and Budgetary Procedures Law. For this reason, the case management field staff of the Department of Human Services is authorized to approve up to \$500 per TEA client to be disbursed for employment needs of the client from accounts designated for that purpose. Further a facsimile copy of the client completed form (DCO Form #1430 or successor) or a facsimile copy of a vendor's invoice is sufficient documentation for expenditure records. All original documentation shall be maintained in the county office authorizing the expenditure.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2003 through June 30, 2005.

EXECUTIVE RECOMMENDATION

2005 - 2007 REQUEST FOR SPECIAL LANGUAGE IN APPROPRIATION ACT

AGENCY: 0710 DHS – County Operations **ACT#:** 28-1SS **SECTION#:** 11

CURRENT SPECIAL LANGUAGE (WITH AGENCY REQUEST)

COUNTY OPERATIONS - CARRY FORWARD. The unexpended balances in appropriations made from federal funds, for County Operations, as provided for in this Act on June 30, 2004 2006 shall be carried forward and made available for expenditures for the same purpose for the fiscal

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2003 2005 through June 30, 2005 2007.

year ending June 30, 2005 <u>2007</u>.

EXECUTIVE RECOMMENDATION

<u>2005 – 2007 REQUEST FOR SPECIAL LANGUAGE IN APPROPRIATION ACT</u>

AGENCY: 0710 DHS – County Operations **ACT#:** 28-1SS **SECTION#:** 12

CURRENT SPECIAL LANGUAGE (WITH AGENCY REQUEST)

EXECUTIVE RECOMMENDATION

COUNTY OPERATIONS — USE OF LOCAL FUNDS. To the extent allowed by Federal requirements, including waiver, demonstration and pilot project options, the Division of County Operations may use local and donated funds to obtain federal matching funds to enhance federal agency programs.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2003 through June 30, 2005.

<u>2005 – 2007 REQUEST FOR SPECIAL LANGUAGE IN APPROPRIATION ACT</u>

AGENCY: 0710 DHS – County Operations **ACT#:** 28-1SS **SECTION#:** 13

CURRENT SPECIAL LANGUAGE (WITH AGENCY REQUEST)

TRANSFER OF TANF BLOCK GRANT FUNDS TO THE CHILD CARE DEVELOPMENT FUND. Not withstanding any federal regulations or mandates for the biennium that prohibits the use of funds for this purpose, the Department of Human Services, Division of County Operations shall transfer a total of \$12 million or 11 percent; whichever amount is less, of the state's federal Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) block grant to the Child Care Development Fund. The funds, to be administered by the Division of Child Care and Early Childhood Education, shall be used to provide subsidized child care for TEA, transitional child care, or other low-income families. These funds shall be used to develop, support, enhance and subsidize early care and education programs.

The amount of transfer is subject to continuation of base level funding for the Division of County Operations.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect from July 1, $\frac{2003}{2005}$ 2005 through June 30, $\frac{2005}{2007}$.

EXECUTIVE RECOMMENDATION